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PRESIDENT MESSAGE

To: All N.C.N.A. Members
From: Ray McGuire

It did not occur to me until after I got back from the convention in Greensboro that I did not have enough time to devote N.C.vn.A. to be its president, and then it was too late to decline. Be as it may, I extend to do the best job that I can and with the help of the board and general membership we will see some rear growth. This year, in the following ways.

1. Each club president, ask, beg or direct the club secretar tto send club news and briefs to the Journals Editor. Each month, then we will have something for the Editor to print that will be of interest to Journal recipients.

2. If the Journal is to survive we must have some revenue and the only way to get it is to sell a few ads. Your club or local dealer may try a low cost Journal ad. Forms for N.C.N.A. advertising will be available from the Editor, Jim Woody. Get a few, use them, sell your club or someone else, help your N.C.N.A. grow.

3. No need to repeat that we are not doing a very good job signing new members to N.C.N.A. Would like to see some kind of contest here with some sort of prize for the members bringing in the most new members during the year. Any ideas, hear them!

We need to get the details ironed out for this years convention, ie, location, date etc., a once. No need to wait until July, then not haveime to properly plan for the good convention that everyone wants. We must move fast to finalize plans for 1974 and then start the ground work for the 1975 convention.

Election of N.C.N.A. officers should be by ballot from the memberip, preferably mailed to each member, so that members not attending the convention can have a chance to vote. Also this will allow the election to be more orderly and less dramatic. With a little help we can put this procedure in effect this year.
Let me hear from you!

Resprctfully,
Ray McGuire
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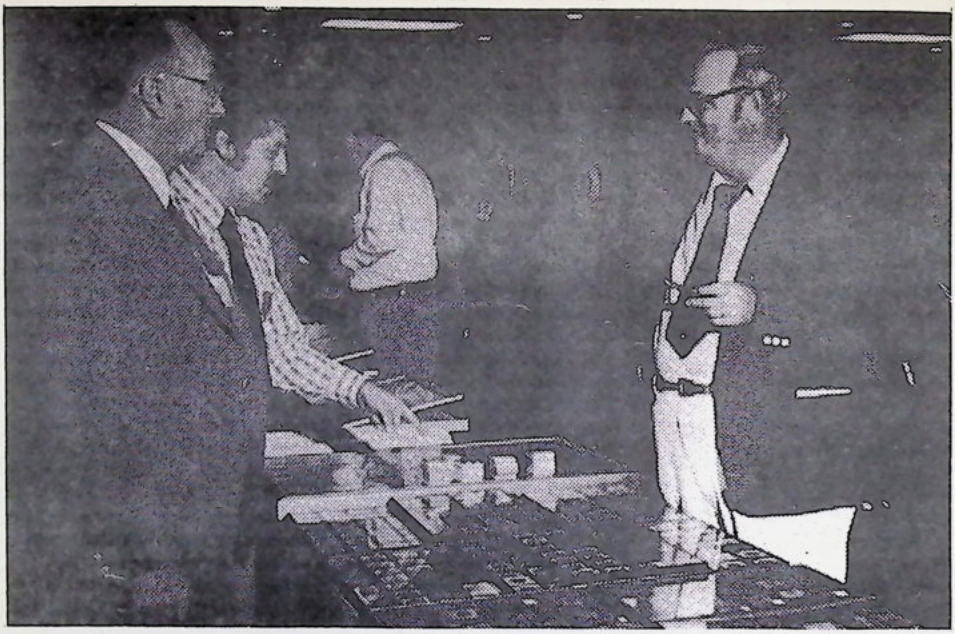
Let me hear from you!

BIG BUSINESS TYCOONS???

Those! persistant rumors are still flying that Mr. L. O. "JACK" RICE of Ashville, N. C. is still attempting to take over C & J Enterprises and here is what appears to be real hard nosed bargaining at Columbia, S. C. The only firm deal concluded according to the parts I overheard was "JACK" bought a $45.00 Chess board for $4.18 and the bargaining goes on ———



Big Wheels at N. C. N. A., Marion Davis, Easley, South Carolina - President of SCanner and E. T. Register, Washington, North Carolina - N. C. N. A. Board Member.

RAY McGUIRE PRES. N.C.N.A.

Ray McGuire of Charlotte, N.C. is the President of the North Carolina Numismatic Association for the coming year. Ray is a full time coin dealer and prior to moving to Charlotte lived in Florence. A little known fact about Ray is he is also a collector and is assembling a collection of United States type coins. When asked if he has any plans for exhibiting Ray explained he does want to exhibit and will just as soon as he finds a 1932 $20.00 gold piece to complete a year set of gold coins. Incidentally Ray says he is willing to pay $5000.00 for the Gold coin. If anyone has a 1932 $20.00 Gold piece here is a ready market for it. In addition to his U.S. type coins Ray is also collecting modern Irish Coins by dates. Now what would a fellow named McGuire be doing collecting Irish Coins?? Concerning N.C.N.A. Ray says he pledges to continue the growth and prosperity enjoyed by the N.C.N.A. last year and pledges forceful, dynamic programs designed to benefit the fraternity and all its membership and to have another successful profitable year.

The Young Numismatist

By JEANNE SCHREIJI NLG

Young people. They're exhilarating, full of life and new ideas - - they're intelligent, progressive, optimistic - - they're fun and happiness. Now if you have any doubts about these elucidations of our youths, come out of your cocoon and get acquainted with a few of them. THEY NEED YOU! You don't have to be young in years to be youthful, young at heart - - to give a hand where it's needed - - to give of yourself. It doesn't matter what your years add up to - - it's the way you add up your years. No one likes to think of himself as being OLD - - not over 39 at most!!! But when you get too old in your ways or too self-centered to be sympathetic to the needs of our youth, you ARE OLD!

Did you know there are some coin clubs across the country which won't allow Junior members? They don't want to be bothered with a "bunch of kids" they say. Have these people forgotten that they were once "kids"? Didn't they ever get any help or encouragement along the way - - or - - were they

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N. C. N. A. – A BEEHIVE OF ACTIVITY

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REFLECTIONS

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— 10 LITTLE MEMBERS —

10 little members working all the time - -
One conked out, and then tere was nine

9 little members all working late - - -
One fell asleep, and then there were wight

8 little members of themselves they had given - -
One got lazy, and then there were seven.

7 little members with good ideas to infix - -
One left town, and then there were six.

6 little members trying to keep things alive - -
One lost interest, and then there were five.

5 little members, they tried to do more - -
One shirked his duty, and then there were four.

4 little members, busy as could be - -
One got bored, and then there were three.

3 little members, what more could they do? - -
One fell ill, and then there were two.

2 little members to do what was done - -
Onw gave up, and then there was one.

1 little member - - the others were gone - -
The load was too much, and now there are none!

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Mr. J. W. "Baxter" Bason of Greensboro, N. C. was elected to serve as Sec'y. Treas. for the N.C.N.A. for the ensuing year, a post he held this past year. Mr. Bason is retired and is a coin dealer and a fine gentleman of which North Carolina can be Proud.

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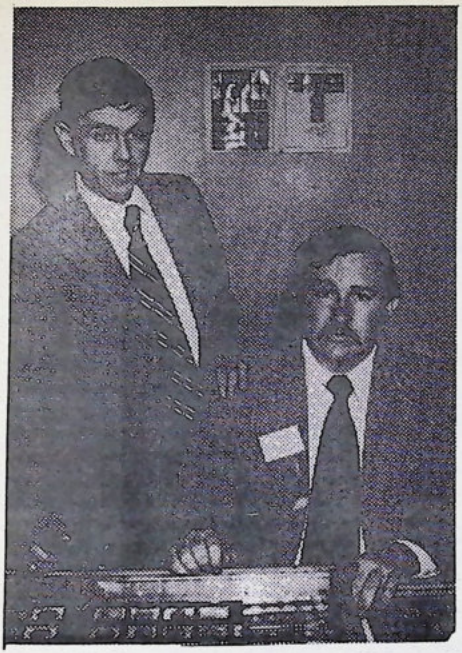

N.C.N.A. Celebrites - Honey & High——
Ricky Craft and Dan Talbert new [redacted]
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THE YOUNG NUMISMATIST

just BORN knowledgeable collectors and/or numismatists? O - - - is it because they don't really know 'beans' about numismatics and use this excuse as a cover-up for their inadequacy? Could be that they're "sick"!

Maybe you think you don't know any young collectors. We're lived next door to two young lads for years, and while in the process of organizing a local Junior coin club, NECCONE, i asked them if they were interested in coin collecting. Must to my amazement they said they'd been collecting for 3 or 4 years. A few eeks later I discovered another budding young numismatist in the neighborhood. So you see, we sometimes can't see the rest for the trees.

We must ALL seek out these young collectors who are sincerely interested in numismatics. We must encourage their interest in the hobby and help them to develop a desire to study the history of numismatics. In the matter of collecting mint errors, it's a necessity that they become familiar with the minting process in order to fully understand and appreciate this most fascinating and significant part of coin collecting. We must strive to develop and maintain a friendly atmosphere among collectors, regardless of age. It's essential that we assist our young collectors by providing them with knowledgeable information; books and materials for research; numismatic tiems for their inspection.

Encourage them to join a coin club or two - - interest and enthusiasm are stimulated by satisfactory membership in our clubs. You might give support to a Junior section in your local club and form a workshop Let the Juniors be on club programs; conduct a meeting; act as auctioneer. Arragne a Junior night or let them have their own trade sessions. Include the young members in work projects such as helping with the coin shows; form a study group for research, exhibiting, judging rules, club improvements. If there is no club in your locale, perhaps you can form one - - all it takes is a few interested people and a genuine desire on your part - - "so don't just SET there, get up and do something about it."

Encourage the youngsters to visit coin shows and to attend any educational forums which might be held in conjunction; encourage them to exhibit, giving them any helpful suggestions you may have. Encourage them to write articles about their particular numismatic interests and to read them at their club meetings - - perhaps submit them for publication.

The future of numismatics depends on our willingness to help and encourage the young numismatist. We must respect him. Be kind and patient, especially with those whose parents aren't interested in numismatics. Never underestimate the abilities and intelligence of our youngsters - - these youngsters are our future and if we don't take a genuine interest in them and give them our help, understanding and encouragement, we're not gonna have much of a future, whether it be in a hobby or otherwise. Come on, you're not TOO OLD are you?

COIN QUIZ

1. The Lincoln Cent, with the memorial type reverse, was first issued in what year?
2. The Lincoln Cent was first issued in what year?
3. There are only 2 years in which the Indian Head cent was issued from the San Francisco mint, what were they?
4. The Indian Head Cent was minted every year from 1859-1909, without exception. True or False?
5. Large cents were issued in every year from 1793-1857 except one, name the year.

Turn To Page 8 For Answers

BEAUTY QUEEN?

Maybe not a beauty queen but I'll wager she could be if she set her mind to it. She certainly has all the qualifications, those endearing young charms, personality, charm, well educated, talented, interesting, and a real pleasure to be around. A welcome addition to any show and a real joy to know. Now everyone knows who this CHARMER is but I'll tell anyhow, Mrs. AUTENCE BASON from Greensboro, N.C.

ANSWER– COIN QUIZ

(1) 1959
(2) 1909
(3) 1908, 1909
(4) True
(5) 1815

Also, here is a riddle I thought up that you might want to print:

Question — How do you make $300 with a six-pack of beer and a BU 1955 cent?

ANSWER — Give the beer to your local coin dealer and watch him drink it. When he starts seeing double, show him the 1955 cent and sell it.

Thanks very much.

Sincerely,
Bruce Harris

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Jim Woody

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